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In re Application of Reding *et al.*

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AUTOMATIC HEDGING FUNCTION

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Applicants hereby petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2005, for one month, the time for response thus extending to and including October 17, 2005. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 501358 the extension fee of \$60.00.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner amend the present application as indicated in the following pages, of which:

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Remarks begin on page 8.

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